

## MARYLAND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM Hospital Transmittal No. 253 December 13, 2017

TO:

Hospital Administrators

FROM:

Susan J. Tucker, Executive Director

Office of Health Services

RE:

Retention of Medical Records

NOTE:

Please ensure that appropriate staff members in your organization are

informed of the contents of this transmittal

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The Maryland Department of Health (MDH) directs all hospitals to retain medical records from January 1, 2009 to date for purposes of State hospital bill audits.

Should you have any questions regarding this transmittal, please contact Shelly Lehner at (410) 767-8787 or at Michelle.Lehner@maryland.gov.